

NEWS RELEASE

Paul M. Tiernan, Chief of Police

March 5, 2015

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SUBJECT: NPD Arrests Two for Drug Charges

On March 3rd, 2015 at approximately 10:30pm, NPD responded to the 7-Eleven (235 East Delaware Ave, Newark, DE 19711) for a check on the welfare of two subjects who were slouched over in a vehicle. NPD officers arrived and contacted Stefano Saienni, who was sitting in the driver's seat, and Bradley Hooks, who was sitting in the passenger's seat.

NPD officers discovered 171 bags of heroin, a small amount of methamphetamine pills and \$260 USC on Stefano Saienni. Two bags of heroin were discovered on Bradley Hooks.

Both defendants were taken into custody without incident and transported back to NPD.

Defendant 1: Stefano Saienni (DOB 8/26/1991)

818 Woodlawn Ave Wilmington, DE 19805

Charges: Drug Dealing

Possession of a Controlled Substance – Tier 2 quantity

Possession of a Controlled Substance Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

Saienni was committed to Howard R. Young Correctional Institution in lieu of \$81,200 cash bail.

Defendant 2: Bradley Hooks (DOB 11/08/1991)

115 Locust Drive Newark, DE 19711

Charges: Possession of a Controlled Substance

Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

Hooks was committed to Howard R. Young Correctional Institution in lieu of \$3,200 cash

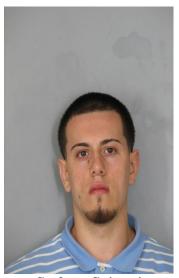
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Anyone with additional information on this incident should contact Officer Casey Rivers at 302-366-7110 ext. 3479 or casey.rivers@cj.state.de.us. You can send an anonymous text message tip by texting 302NPD and your message to TIP411. Information can also be provided anonymously to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at www.tipsubmit.com where a reward may be available.

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